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SOURCE Untested informant with good contacts in the Arab Higher Committee.

On 2 November 1952, Amil al-Ghuri (former Secretary of the Arab Higher Committee) made the following observations on the German-Israeli Compensation Agreement:

- The Arab countries believe that the German-Israeli Compensation Agreement was effected by American influence with the approval of the French and British Governments.
- They also believe that the agreement is really a long-range plan for indirect American aid to Israel, because Germany is not financially able to pay all the compensations.
- The agreement's aim is to counteract the boycott of Israel by the Arab countries. As a result, these countries may be forced to agree to a peaceful settlement of the Palestine problem.

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